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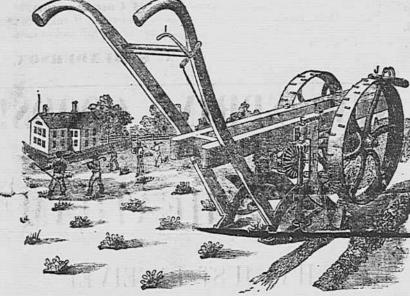
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Of course the vast amount of cotobligations, left the army and re-turned to their homes to support one of three ways—by seizure, by pressment laws deprived the army of many valuable men of a class less poor than that just referred to. Those laws required the impressment of all articles of military necessity that could be purchased. The Government had the power of regulating the prices to be paid by it for all

Much has been written and much

part of the people of those States. That people was not guilty of the high crime of undertaking a war without the means of waging it suc-

practicable, for the owners were ready might fix, and sending to Europe was easy in all the first year of the Confederacy's existence. Its Government a tyranny, I believe, as no other went into operation early in Februaperiod of about twelve months for the operation of converting 4,000,000

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or years, would have secured the ome other person of the same rate on other person of the same rate on other person of the same rate on other produce. It is far the same rate on other produce. It which could not be purchased at all this dangerous experiment. It is far the same rate on other produce. It may therefore, be very furly set of the same rate on other produce. It may therefore, be very furly set of the same rate on other produce. It may therefore, be very furly set of the same rate on other produce. It may therefore, be very furly set of the same rate on other produce. It may therefore, be very furly set of the same rate on other produce. It may therefore, be very furly set of the same rate on other produce. It may therefore, be very furly set of the same rate on other produce. It may therefore, be very furly set of the same rate on other produce. It may the same rate on o means of success, even without an extraordinary importation of arms and the immediate organization of large armies. It would have given the Confederacy a treasury richer than the General Should have been ship. large armies. It would have given the Confederacy a treasury richer than that of the United States. We should thus have had, to the end of the war, the means of paying our soldiers; and that would have enabled such of them as beloiged to the laboring class to remain in the ranks. This class, in the Confederacy as in all other countries, formed the body of the army. In all the earlier part of the War, when the Confederacy as in all other occuments, formed the body of the war, when the Confederacy as in all other occuments, formed the body of the war, when the Confederacy as in all other occuments, formed the body of the army. In all the earlier part of the United States in value, our troops were paid with some regularity, and the soldiers of the laboring a period of three months in which

troops were paid with some regularity, and the soldiers of the laboring class who had families fed and clothed them with their pay, as they had formerly done with the wages of their labor. And so long as that state of things continued the strength of the Confederate Greenment, and to have state of things continued the strength of the Confederate armies was little impaired; and those armies were maintained on such a footing as to justify the hone, which was general was never collinear to the single was instituted in May, thus leaving the financial administration of the Confederate Government, he would have discovered no instance on record where a war of such dimensions, in a constantly decreasing territory, has been sustained for four years by mere financial expedients, without the aid usually derived from taxes—for in the whole Confederate war but one general war tax was levied, and a great portion of that was never collinear to the financial administration of the Confederate Government, he would have discovered no instance on record where a war of such dimensions, in a constantly decreasing territory, has been sustained for four years by mere financial expedients, without the aid usually derived from taxes—for in the whole Confederate war but one general war tax was levied, and a great portion of that was never collinear to the financial administration of the would have discovered no instance on record where a war of such dimensions, in a constantly decreasing territory, has been sustained for four years by mere financial expedients, without the aid usually derived from taxes—for in the whole Confederate war but one general war tax was levied, and a great portion of that was never collinear to the Mouse discovered no instance on record where a war of such dimensions, in a constantly decreasing territory, has been sustained for four years by mere in financial expedients, without the aid usually derived from taxes—for in the feditor of the News & Courier.

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I append, as part of the history of the interior as a series of loyalty on our own part," are, in that

RICHMOND, Oct. 15, 1861.

The Commissioners Appointed to Receive Subscriptions to the Produce GENTLEMEN-Inquiries have been

Could it not, then, have been puror grain; consequently the officers of the Government could never purchase but had always to recurr sub-chase but had always to recurr sub-chase but had always to recurre sub-cribed. In exchange for Confed-

of the Southern States was neither want of wealth and population, nor of devotion to their own cause on the part of the people of those States. Of food also is said to have had the until that cotton would have found itself fill—are authorized to say that the government to increase the subscriptions; and you donars for what one would have found itself fill—are authorized to say that the government to merly purchased. And, at this rate of advance, two hundred millions of the wants of the government to meet the government to meet the government to meet the wants of the government to meet the gov ment to the planters.

donation from being possible, that Provisional Government may be altereasury actually had to issue a tered by Congress, and that it is the

allow the planters to ge their own price through their own factors, without allowing the government to fix its price, and the whole amount thus pledged did not reach fifty millions, or about two months' expenses of the government of which perhaps one-third was never received.

Every one conversant with the Every one conversant with the polities of the day knows that it was and serious objections to the possespolitics of the day knows that it was the current expectation that the blockade could not be continued for of the crop by the government, it be-DRUGGIST,

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This way to the purchase of arms and military acconfrements, or using for the marching soldiers, and, above all, in the hospitals, where a year. The Confederate Congress they redet the marching soldiers, and, above all, in the hospitals, where they rivaled Sisters of Charity, I as they could be assembled and organized. And us the Southern people were full of enthusiasm, five hundred thousand men could have been aday and in the field had such a course been pursued at the time when the first battle was actually fought—that I now have in Store a foll continued for a year. The Confederate Congress and, above all, in the hospitals, where a year. The Government of the unsually allowed on these drafts would overcome most one into the difficulties. The extension of the time usually allowed on these drafts would overcome most one into the difficulties. The extension of the time usually allowed on these drafts would overcome most one interport to produce in the planets hand. To purchase the whole crop of the difficulties. The extension of the time usually allowed on these drafts would overcome most of the international agreement as to private they adopted that where they adopted the two they adopted the two they adopted the time usually allowed on these drafts would overcome most of the emotion of the time usually allowed on these drafts would overcome most of the united for contracting the position, while to develop the were the difficulties. The extension of the time usually allowed on these drafts would overcome most of the difficulties. The confederacy relieves as they or the difficulties. The confederacy of the difficulties. The extension of the time usually allowed on these drafts would overcome most of the subscriptions made to the government. If we estimate the purpose of th the 21st of July, 1861. Such a force Policy of the Confederate gov-

lected. C. G. Memminger.

I append, as part of the history of the times, one of the circulars of the treasury department on this subject:

gantic war, and which must rely on who attributed our decay to a want of perseverance, unanimity and even of loyalty on our own part," are, in my view, says the general, both "far wrong." We are inclined to believe the shops which have been collected duty. CONFEDERATE STATES OF AMERICA. | fleets have been built up at our joint The Confederate Government, the 1. Whether during the continuance of the blockade, effort should be made to procure further subscriptions.

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misunderstanding of the scheme of the subscriptions. Many persons have supposed that the government was to have some control of the produce itself; others that the time of sale appointed by the subscription was to be absolute and unconditional. At the commencement of the government appointed for the purpose fixed them much below the market values. No one would sell to the Government, of course, when he Government, of course, when he commencement of the government appointed for the purpose ernment the treasury had not funds to pay for the table on which the section at the head of the lists, when examined, will correct both retary was writing; and the first purpose. The subscription is

CHARTER FROM GEN JOE JOHNplies by impressment. No rules for
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THE BAD AND INDIFFERENT OFFICERS impressed what they were called upon to furnish in the memory of the printers of the p agement of women, and therefore ties were overcome, the financial pre- is paid.

were not unusually drawn upon for sented an equal barrier. The scheme it is obvious, therefore, that the ured by two, and every article must measured by one dollar is now measmuch more than their proportion. for raising money, adopted by Con-Hence it was not uncommon for a gress, was to issue Confederate notes, the government during the blockade Of course all contracts are disturbed.

CHARLESTON, Mar. 27, 1874.

ment, which cannot be realized, may defeat that which is yet practicable. Respectfully, your obedient servant, C. G. MEMMINGER,

Secretary of the Treasury.

The Confederate Collapse.

CRITICAL EXAMINATION OF THE FACTS CITED BY GEN. JOHNSTON, IN SUPPORT OF HIS VIEWS OF THE CAUSE OF THE FAILURE OF THE

ring forty-five years of peace—their there is now a third party "wrong." expense. With all these on hand, general thinks, had the means of fillthey yet are obliged to expend near- ing its treasury, but the "government ly ten millions of dollars per week rejected those means." "The necesto carry on the war. Can we expect sity of actual money in the treasury, to contend with them at less than and the mode of raising it, were genhalf that expenditure? Supposing erally understood in the country. It that it may require two hundred milauthorize promises to be held out of aid to the planters, as an inducement millions for the benefit of the plantto such further subscriptions.

The first inquiry seems to imply a misunderstanding of the scheme of the government receives no benefit the government recei the Government price for his horses of grain; consequently the officers of

and was it accessible for immediate exportation?

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2. The next inquiry is as to a prom-ise of material aid from the govern-ment to the all the second forms are a govern-ment to the all the second forms are a govern-have effected before; or, in other words, one hundred millions of dol- the entire crop was already which, unfortunately, were not applied to the object of equipping great minutes and bringing them into the field. A full treasury was necessary to defray the expenses of a great war. The South had the means of miding one, in its cotton alone. But it says such as a means of founding the surptime of the war. I assert, from as much opprinting bank notes, with which the country was son flooded. The expenses of a great was played so much under such country was son flooded. The expenses of a great was played so much under such and bintid its financial efforts to printing bank notes, with which the country was son flooded. The expenses of a great was played so much under such and bintid its financial efforts to printing bank notes, with which the country was son flooded. The expense of its defrect the expense of the content of the country was son flooded. The expense of the content of the country was son flooded. The expense is of a great was played so much under such and bintid its financial efforts to printing bank notes, with which the country was son flooded. The expense of the content of the country was son flooded. The expense of the control of the country was son flooded the expense of the control of the country was son flooded. The expense of the control of the country was son flooded the expense of the control of the country was son flooded the expense of the control of the country was son flooded the expense of the control of the country was son flooded. The expense of the control of the country was son flooded the expense of the control In answering this inquiry, I am to lars are actually sunk in the operation its reach. Another crop followed, it

the treasury actually had to issue a circular in response to applications to the government for aid to the planters in making loans to them, and not a bale of the crop of that year was contributed to the government. An effort was made to get pledges of the next year's crop in exchange for bonds of the government. To accomblish this it was deemed necessary to plish this it was deemed necessary to plick the tread by Congress, and that it is the duty of this department to prepare the way for such alteration, if, in its in some other direction. And may not the country demand the change.

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